



# NEWS RELEASE

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## ROUTE 138, ROUTE 14 CLOSURES

**PALMDALE** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close one lane of Palmdale Boulevard (Route 138) intermittently in both directions under the Antelope Valley Freeway (Route 14) weekdays from Monday, August 15 to Friday, August 19 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Detours will be provided.

Route 14 also will be closed in the following areas **nightly** from Monday, August 15, to Friday, August 19:

### **Southbound Route 14**

(Midnight to 4 a.m. Closures will not be concurrent)

Avenue P to Palmdale Boulevard. Detour will be 10th Avenue west to southbound Route 14.

Palmdale Boulevard to Avenue S. Detour will be 10th Avenue west to southbound Route 14.

Avenue S to Angeles Forest Highway. Detour will be Sierra Highway to southbound Route 14.

### **Northbound Route 14**

(1 a.m. to 5 a.m. Closures will not be concurrent)

Pearblossom Highway to Avenue S. Detour will be Sierra Highway to northbound Route 14.

Avenue S to Palmdale Boulevard. Detour will be 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue East to northbound Route 14.





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Palmdale Boulevard to Avenue P. Detour will be 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue East to northbound Route 14.

Detour signs will be posted for all closures.

The closures are in relation to a 6.2- mile, \$41 million High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lane construction project from Mountain Springs Road to Avenue P-8. The project is expected to complete in spring 2007.

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